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RE: DOCKET NUMBER 98P-0151/CPI

To whom it may concern:

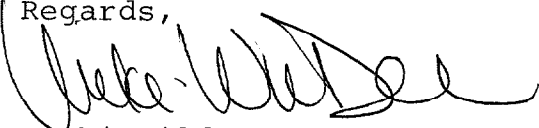
I am writing to urge you to grant the petition 98P-0151/CPI to prohibit the slaughter of downed animals.

I think it is not humanely possible to move these sick animals without causing stress and more injury to these poor sick animals. Animals that are too sick to move or stand should not be allowed to enter the human food chain.

I believe that all animals should not be hurt, injured or tortured just for carnivores to eat. If people knew what these animals go through to be put on people's dinner table I bet a lot more people would become vegetarians.

Please, please prohibit the slaughter of downed animals.

Regards,

  
Vicki Wilder

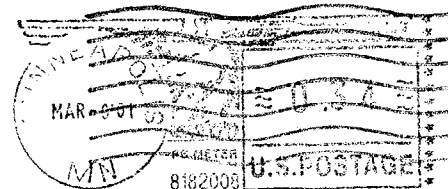
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